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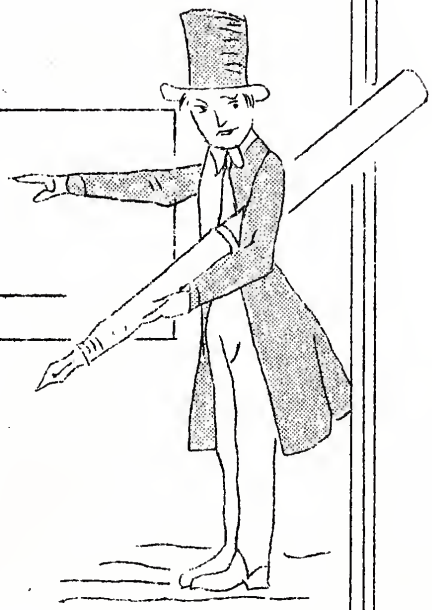

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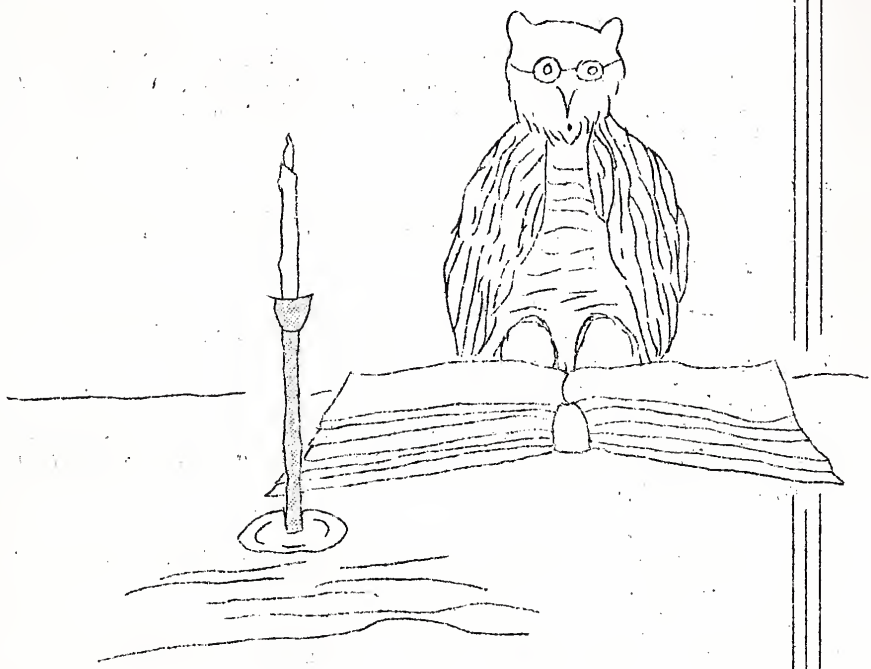
DEDICATION

In appreciation of his continual interest and efforts in behalf of the schools of Lancaster Township, we dedicate this 1939 volume of Turned Leaves to our trustee, Milo J. Lesh.



OUR FACULTY

K. H. Griffin:
A. B; DePauw University, 1932; M. S , Indiana University, 1936. Mathematics, English, and Physical Education. Third year at Lancaster Central. Seven years teaching experience.

Arthur Gerwig:
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Rudolph Geerle:
Attending Ball State Teachers College, Indiana State Teachers College, Ohio State, and Huntington. B. S., Purdue University. Science, Industrial Arts, and Agriculture. Eight years at Lancaster Central. Eleven years teaching experience.

George H. Prough:
B. S., Ball State Teachers College, 1934. Extension work at Indiana University. Social Studies, Health, and Physical Education. Fourth year at Lancaster Central.

Paul Prible:
A. B. Earlham, 1938. Mathematics, Physical Education, and Science. First year at Lancaster Central.

Dale Decker:
A. B., DePauw University, 1929; M. S., Indiana University, 1938. Commerce, History, English. Seven years at Lancaster. Eight years teaching experience.

Margaret Johnson:
A. B., Indiana University, 1933. Home Economics, Science. First year at Lancaster. Six years of teaching.

Patricia O'Dowd:
B. S., Indiana University, 1938. English, Physical Education. First year at Lancaster.

Helen Reed:
A. B., Ball State Teachers College, 1937. English, Commerce, History. Second year at Lancaster.

Marie Swisher:
Oskosh Normal School, New York University, Oberlin Conservatory. A. B., Ball State Teachers College, 1927. Music and Art. Two years at Lancaster Central.

FACULTY

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Ind. Arts
Agri.
Mr. Fr
Soc. Sci.
Health
Mr. Gaeser
Commerce
History
Miss O'Dowd
Health
English
Phy. Ed.
Miss Sea
Commerce
English
Mr. Gerwig
English
Latin
Miss Johnson
Home Ec.
History
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Coach Math.
Health
Phy. Ed.
Miss Swisher
Music
Art
Miss Herzold's
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Craigville
Grades 6, 7
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Grades 7, 8
Miss Hartman
Grades 1, 2
Miss Murray
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Miss Hoon
Craigville
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Miss Blair
Craigville
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Miss
Grades 3, 4, 5

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- Volleyball 3

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QUENTIN BOOKER
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LLOYD SCHWARTZ
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- Class Play 4

JOHN STUFF
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DALE BYERLY
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FLOYD WEAVER
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RICHARD SMITH
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- Volleyball 3
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BETTY LUGENBILL
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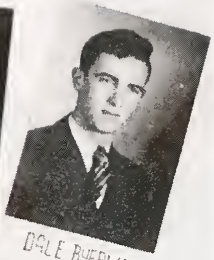
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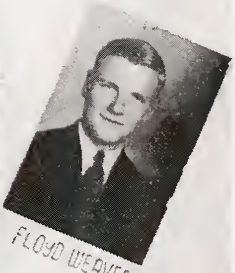
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ALFRED SHELEY
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GERALDINE FULLER
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HALBERT PURSLEY
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VERA GAHMAN
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Orchestra 2, 3, 4.
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State Commercial Contest 4.
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EVERT BLEM
Chorus 1.
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PAULINE MARSHALL
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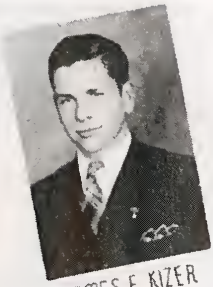
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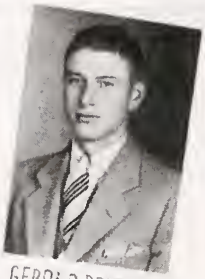
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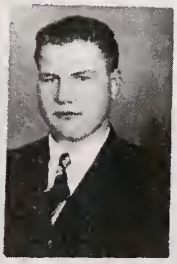
NED HERRICK

JUNE HAIFLEY

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As the teachers find us sane and fairly intelligent, we the class of '39 wish to leave some of our most valuable possessions and characteristics to the underclassmen of Lancaster High School.

I, Harold Bickel, bequeath to Leonard Stuff my ability for keeping out of trouble.

I, Evert Blem, bequeath to Gilbert Bynum my ability to keep from studying.

I, Quentin Booker, bequeath my ability as a great lover to Roscoe Mills.

I, Gerald Bright, bequeath my bashfulness to Dwight Kehrn.

I, Dale Byerly, give to Richard Double the right to play around in all classes.

I, Emery Clark, bequeath my laziness to Roger Noble.

I, Wendell Decker, bequeath my right to go with Bluffton girls to Wayne Hunt.

I, Pauline Duncan, bequeath to Gloria Hughes my "Theory of Romantic Secrets."

I, Marie Fiechter, bequeath to Betty Lash my ability to be at the head of the class.

I, Geraldine Fuller, bequeath my light hair to Rachel Scott.

I, Vera Gahman, bequeath to Virginia Bickel my quiet ways.

I, June Haifley, bequeath to Annabel Snider my laughter and loud talk.

I, Ned Herrick, bequeath to anyone with a weak foundation, a large part of my feet.

I, Katherine Howard, bequeath to Lucile Melching, my carefree attitude when burdened with worries.

I, Lillian Johnloz, bequeath to Betty Milholland my graceful walk and my giggle.

I, James Kizer, refuse to leave anything. I'll take it all along.

I, Wendell Linn, bequeath my personality to Eugene Irvin.

I, Betty Lugenbill, bequeath to Louise Deihl my pet name "Butch."

I, Donald Macon, bequeath the right to join the Army to Glenn Moser.

I, Helen Magner, bequeath to all pessimists my optimistic outlook at the world.

I, Pauline Marshall, bequeath to Marjorie Greene the right to go out with a certain junior boy.

I, William Miller bequeath to any future mechanical drawing student my artistic drawing ability.

I, Halbert Pursley, bequeath to Robert Durr my library of detective magazines.

I, Lloyd Schwartz, give to anyone that is interested, the right to be the "Doc" of the future basketball teams.

I, Alfred Sheley, bequeath to Ralph Schlagenhauf my ability to be a star basketball player.

I, Edwin Smeltzer, bequeath to George McClain my graceful walk.

I, Richard Smith, bequeath to William Price the right to play basketball "if" he doesn't make any baskets for the opponents.

I, John Stuff, bequeath to Mr. Prible my dark complexion.

I, Ruth Walsh, bequeath to Mary Jane Wilcoxson the right to wear short dresses.

I, Floyd Weaver, bequeath to the school all my books and papers for some student who doesn't like to work.

I, Doris Wolf, bequeath to Betty Miller my studious ways in "all" subjects.

--James Kizer

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SENIOR POEM

"Life is what you make it," is the motto of our class,
And this motto we hope to keep in the future as in the past.

At the teachers assignments we sometimes did grumble,
And day after day o'er our lessons did stumble.

But we learned to take it with just a slight frown,
Our troubles, oh yes, and our ups and downs.

Just now as we are ready to depart from good old L. H. S.
We suddenly realize that our education was a first step to success.

Some are laughing with joy; others smiling through tears,
Because behind them are those good old high school years.

Now is just the beginning, this we all know,
With first base reached, we still have several to go.

So when opportunity knocks, the ambitious ones will run,
Nothing will stop them, no, nothing under the sun.

--Geraldine Fuller

CLASS HISTORY

In the fall of 1935 forty-nine students enrolled in the Freshman class of Lancaster Central High School. They were: Emma Curry, Metealea Freeman, Robert Deihl, Von Ormsby, June Haifley, Quentin Booker, Wendell Decker, Geraldine Fuller, Katherine Howard, Roger Isch, Edith Lude, Kenneth Aschliman, Wendell Linn, William Miller, Alfred Sheley, Bertaline Gibson, Daisy Moser, Richard Moore, Lois Reber, Robert Fuller, Glen McComb, Harold Bickel, Dale Byerly, Pauline Duncan, Vera Gahman, Lillian Johnloz, Elmer Steffen, Betsy Wolcott, Wilbur Kleinknight, Betty Lugenbill, Halbert Pursley, John Stuff, Lola Strahm, Berniece Frye, Betty Billiard, Brooks Faus, Victor Stahl, Evert Blem, Emery Clark, Marie Fiechter, Ned Herrick, James Kizer, Edith Shady, Elizabeth Storey, Roy McBride, Donald Macon, Lloyd Schwartz, Ruth Walsh, and Billy Woods. During the year Helen Magner enrolled in the class. The class officers for the year were: President, Wendell Decker; Vice President, Betsy Wolcott; Secretary Treasurer, Edith Shady. The class had two parties during the year. One was at the school house, the other was a skating party at Decatur. During the year Brooks Faus, Faus, Victor Stahl, Roger Isch, Elmer Steffen, Elizabeth Storey, Kenneth Aschliman, Roy McBride, Lola Strahm, Billy Woods, and Daisy Moser withdrew.

The next year the following pupils dropped out: Edith Lude, Von Ormsby, Emma Curry, Berniece Frye, Metealea Freeman, Richard Moore, Wilbur Kleinknight, Betty Billiard, Bertaline Gibson, Glen McComb, Betsy Wolcott. Doris Wolf and Pauline Marshall enrolled during the year. The class officers were as follows: President, June Haifley; Vice President, Dale Byerly; Secretary Treasurer, Wendell Linn. Two parties were held during the year, one at the home of Betty Billiard, the other a skating party.

In the fall of 1937 all the students but Lois Reber returned to school. Doris Wolf and Edith Shady withdrew during the year. Richard Smith and Edwin Smeltzer enrolled during the year. Class officers were: President, Wendell Decker; Vice President, John Stuff; Secretary Treasurer, Wendell Linn. A class party was held in the Boy Scout Camp at Ruth Walsh's home. We also had a party at the Decatur Skating Rink.

Last fall all but Robert Deihl enrolled in school. Soon after school started Robert Fuller dropped out. Floyd Weaver enrolled at the first of the year. Doris Wolf came back to Lancaster during the year. A party was held the first of the year at the home of Richard Smith. The class officers were: President, Wendell Decker; Vice President, John Stuff; Secretary Treasurer, Wendell Linn. In April the class went to Chicago for a two-day trip. While there we saw many interesting sights and a good time was had by all.

--Wendell Linn

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SENIOR PROPHECY

April 26, 1954 Station XXB

This is June Haifley, speaking to you from station XXB in Bluffton, giving you a summary of the daily news from here, there, and everywhere:

(Taken from the Bluffton News-Banner)

Edwin Smeltzer, manager of the local Kroger store, left today for a company meeting in Boston. He expects to be gone for a week or ten days. Smeltzer will be accompanied by Wendell Decker, officer of "Baker Implements, Inc." who plans to bring a new model of tractor home from the East.

Halbert Pursley, local scientific farmer, has shown to the agricultural world today a new way of growing grapes. The grapes are to be arbored about 12 feet above the ground, where the sun and light will get to them sooner. They are to be sprayed by a perfumed insect killer, the advantage being that when the grapes are in the grocery store, they will appeal to the smell of the housewives.

Mrs. Pauline Becker, president of P. T. A. at L. H. S. announces that a monthly meeting is to be held on Tuesday night, January 24. Mrs. Becker, newly appointed to her position, is a graduate of L. H. S. in the class of '39.

Treatment was given today by a local physician to Donald Macon, foreman of the highway "road gang." It seems that a fellow worker failed to see Macon picking a posey along the roadside and proceeded to use his spade to its rightful purpose, and did not notice his foreman's fingers in time to prevent the accident.

(Taken from the Fort Wayne Sentinel)

The well known screen and stage actor, Lloyd Schwartz, the "Rhett Butler" of "Gone With The Wind" is making a personal appearance tour and plans to hit his home town community, Bluffton, in the near future.

A burglar entered the home of a certain maiden lady, Miss Pauline Marshall, last night about midnight. After trapping him in a closet until police came, Miss Marshall was taken to the city hospital for treatment for shock. She was reported better today. Our readers will recall the long illness of this prominent maiden lady after the tragedy of the disappearance of her fiancee about ten years ago.

Ruth Walsh, better known in social circles as "Babe" announced her engagement at a party held at her Fairfield Avenue home. Wedding bells will ring on Christmas Morning.

(Taken from the Detroit Journal)

On the sick list today is Emery Clark, well known wine taster of "Highland Cafe." One case of imported wine proved to be sour!

The combination of damp weather and his energetic bally-hooing at his side show tent sent Evert Blem to a local doctor for throat treatment.

(Taken from Washington, D. C. Society Column.)

Miss Jerry Fuller, well known to friends and relatives of the Whit House family because of her position as governess and tutor to the chil of the President, made a charming hostess at a Christmas tea given to s friends of the "first" lady. Due to the illness of the White House soc secretary, Katherine Howard, Miss Fuller gracefully and skillfully substituted. Miss Fuller has been frequently seen escorted by the Preside youngest son, Dalton, at various sporting events in Washington.

Richard Smith, American sculptorist, was flabergasted yesterday wh he stepped off his plane in Kansas City, Missouri, instead of at New Yo City, his intended destination. The error causing this seemingly impos situation was traced to the information clerk, Alfred Sheley, in our Was ton, D. C. terminal desk, who evidently had been so absorbed in studying direction dictionary that he got the information mixed and directed the sculptorist to the wrong plane.

(Taken from the New York Examiner)

One of the socially prominent divorcees of New York is Betty Lugenb La Grandioso Rouchiski who announces her intention to live abroad during remainder of the winter. Rumors are that she is about to enter into mat for the third time, but the rumor is denied by the former Mrs. Rouchiski

(Taken from the Hollywood Daily)

WANTED: Reliable young men. Must be clean, courteous, ambitious, and have social ability. Pay on commission. Phone M472, or write for p sonal interview.

James Kizer, Pres.
Ladies Escort Bureau

Public librarian, Doris Wolf, announces the purchase of two dozen new volumes entitled "How to Catch Your Leap Year Husband", for benefit the "wedding-minded" ladies. A $400 loss was suffered four years ago because of the hard usage and study of this amazingly accurate volume.

John Stuff, electrician, and Ned Herrick, mechanic, of the Shipland Air Service, are to be among the trial passengers of the new ship "Rok-it This ship is expected to take the place of the "tragedy" ship which crash two weeks ago.

(Taken from the Denver News)

Miss Lillian Johnloz, sports model of the "Smete Clothing Company" o Denver, was honored and rewarded after being chosen as the most efficient and desirable model of the Middle West. She will compete next November i the international contest which will be held at Paris, France.

(Taken from the Los Angeles, California Press)

Chemist Wendell Linn, of the "Marche Cosmetic Producers," introduced a new type of lip rouge for the feminine public. It is applied by means a "color ray" and will keep the lips a natural color from 25 to 28 years.

The operation is said to be painless, but requires a period of from twelve to twenty-four hours to complete. It is expected to be of special importance to the movie world.

(Taken from the Fort Wayne Sentinel)

Marie Fiechter, Professor of Commerce at Wayne College, announces "spring" vacation for her students after their fine showing in the national contest. This is the third consecutive year that Dr. Fiechter's contestants have won this event. Dr. Fiechter is ranked among the best in teaching ability and knowledge of our complicated commercial subjects.

A hit and run accident occurred last night on Main Street. The victim gave his name as Floyd Weaver, toothpaste salesman. Except for severe shock, Weaver was uninjured and will be able to be about his duties in a day or two. He has made several sales to the nurses of the hospital, and states that business is picking up.

(Taken from Bluffton News-Banner)

Vera Gahman, dean of girls of L. H. S. reported the disappearance of two of her charges about 9:00 last night. They were found several hours later climbing in a ground floor window, explaining that a flat tire had delayed them. Miss Gahman had no further statement to make to your commentator.

Miss Helen Magner, will leave for her native city, St. Louis, Missouri, where she will visit relatives.

(Taken from Mid-West Journal)

Political leader, Quentin Booker, radical republican, challenged the opposing political party in his convention speech of last night. His speeches of the past have been followed up and answered wittingly by the editor of our own Mid-West Journal, Bill "Punch'em" Miller. His next editorial will appear in Saturday's paper.

(Taken from the Chicago Tribune)

The "firy" D. A. of this city, Dale Byerly, had much to do with obtaining a conviction in the Hatton murder case. His record since he has been in this office has been a remarkable one. It will be recalled that it was through his special efforts that the drug ring was broken here in our city several months ago.

SENIOR TRIP TO CHICAGO

You said you wanted to know what we did on our visit to Chicago. Well, here's a little account of it. For some reason we could all get out of our beds and meet at Lancaster at 4:00 A. M. Everyone beat the bus to Lancaster. But no wonder, our real bus had broken down and arrangements had to be made for a substitute. We left Lancaster at 4:15. While riding along everyone was wondering where and when we could get our breakfast. We ate it at Bremen at 6:30. You should have seen Miss O'Dowd yawn! Evidently she usually gets more sleep.

We reached Chicago at 10:15. Our first stop was at the Science Building. Here we were shown and explained the formation of cells, the circulation of blood, and causes of cretinism and goiter. We were also explained the steps in an operation for appendicitis. Here's where Alfred and Junior decided to leave. Say, you might be interested in the Whispering Gallery where you stand at one side of the room, whisper to a person on the other side, and it's a secret between you two. Such places may often come in handy when you are surrounded by people.

While waiting on our dinner, we went to see an amphitheater which seats about 10,000. We had our dinner at the Stockman's Inn.

After dinner we went to the Swift Packing Plant. We saw the steps taken in preparing meat for the table. Of course the first step was the killing. Every person had his job. Miss O'Dowd hated to see them kill the poor innocent lambs, but nevertheless, they kept on. From the packing house we rode on the "L" to Marshall Fields. Here everyone seemed to take a delight in riding on the escalators. We then went to our rooms at the Y. M. C. A. Hotel, had supper, and then to a theater. After the show we girls had a candy party in one of our rooms.

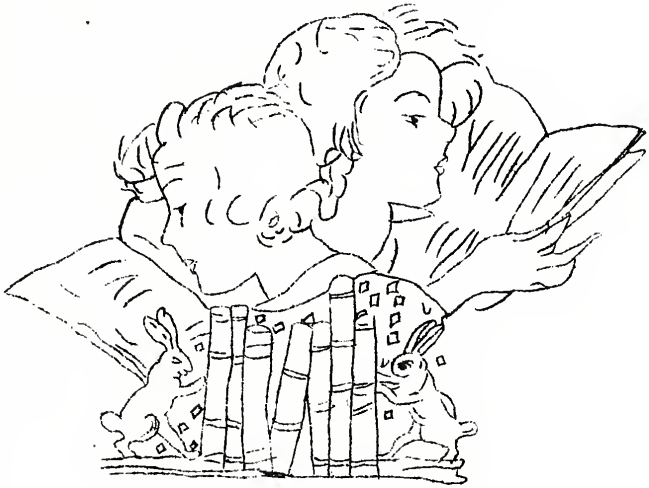
Edwin Smeltzer was the last in getting out of bed Friday morning. After breakfast in the hotel we went to the Field Museum. This was interesting. We saw costumes and weapons of long ago (some more of Mr. Decker's fancy hats). We also saw many skeletons. This sounds worse then it really was, but do you know that the monkey's skeleton is a lot like your own?

Next we went to the Planetarium. Here we saw and had explained the orbit of the moon. The room was darkened; then the sun, moon, and stars were seen. Of course not the natural ones, but they certainly made us feel as though it were night. We then went to the aquarium, and did we see fish. Some pretty, and others really queer-looking.

Because of the rain we took the taxi to the hotel for dinner. And would you believe it, Mr. Gerwig walked into the hotel with the taxi driver's overcoat. After a good rest in the lobby we went to the Jewish Market. You can certainly thank your lucky stars that you don't have to be raised there in the dirt. We wonder if Emery's shoes really were a bargain to him or a profit to the Jew? When you want some good disinterested advice, just walk through their district. Why, they will even tell you just how you should be lined up while walking.

For supper we were at the hotel again; then goodbye to the Y. M. C. A. We spent the evening at a radio broadcast and then started home. Oh, I forgot, Kate was always looking around for weaving skyscrapers. She did see tall buildings, but I don't think they matched her imagination. They didn't sway enough.

On the way home everyone was still lively for quite a while. But our eyes finally shut on us. At midnight we stopped for a little stretch and refreshments. Then we left all responsibility to the bus driver and slept until we reached Lancaster. I am sure we all enjoyed our trip and hope that you Seniors of 1940 will too.



UNDER CLASSMEN

J U N I O R S

Top Row: Betty Milholland, Roger Noble, Betty Miller, Richard Double, Lucile Mechling.

Second Row: Gilbert Bynum, Gloria Hughes, Roscoe Mills, Marjorie Greene.

Third Row: Betty Lash, Leonard Stuff, Louise Deihl, Dwight Kehrn, Mary Jane Wilcoxson.

Fourth Row: Eugene Irvin, Annabel Snider, Wayne Hunt, Rachel Scott.

Fifth Row: John Craigo, Harriet Bickel, Glen Moser.

Absent: Ralph Schlogenhauf.

CLASS OFFICERS

President: Gilbert Bynum

Vice President: Leonard Stuff

Secretary-Treasurer: Dwight Kehrn

JUNIORS

SOPHOMORES

Top Row: Doris Elzey, Richard Brown, Chloe Anderson, William Price, Wilma Potter.

Second Row: John Lude, Donna Bell, Jack Claussen, Alice Campbell.

Third Row: Madelyn Clark, George McClain, Valda Macon, Donald Reese, Bonnie Mechling.

Fourth Row: Kenneth Gerber, Evelyn Myers, Edwin Brindle, Doris Diehl.

Fifth Row: Alice Krumen, Elmer Smeltzer, Betty Barger, Merle Dick, Louise Smith.

Sixth Row: Max Deihl, Naomi Crozier, Robert Durr, Helen Steffen.

Seventh Row: Maxine Wolf, John Swartz, Nina Gibson, Robert Freeman, Alice Fiechter.

Eighth Row: Glema Maupin, Mary Ann Duncan, Guila Hinton.

CLASS OFFICERS

President: Richard Brown

Vice President: Edwin Brindle

Secretary-Treasurer: Doris Elzey

SOPHOMORES

LHS

F R E S H M E N

Top Row: Roma Decker, Robert Aschliman, Annabel Milholland, Wayne Zimmerman, Mary Jane Gilliom, Enos Call.

Second Row: Herbert McCormick, Margaret Myers, Eugene Smith, Mary L. Roberts, Herman McCormick.

Third Row: Virgie Elzey, Vernon Bynum, Maxine Byerly, William Frye, Roberta Inskeep, Dewey Blem.

Fourth Row: Genevieve Baumgartner, Robert Hinton, Evelyn Clowser, Harry Faus, Merl Wasson.

Fifth Row: Joseph Call, Betty Garton, Vernon Kaehr, Eva Culp, Robert Kleeberg, Virginia Hughes.

Sixth Row: Rowena Davison, Robert Schurr, Arethea Reber, Halden Snider, Louise Miller.

Seventh Row: Charles Culp, Gladys Fiechter, Lamoine Springer, Mary Clark, Harold Moser, Betty Myers.

Eighth Row: Harold Aschliman, Jean Pursley, Roger Greene, Norma Noble, Florence Brindle.

Ninth Row: Norma Wolf, Violet Dishong, Betty Eichhorn, Helen Souder, Rachel Johnson, Anna Louise Barger.

CLASS OFFICERS

President: Enos Call

Vice President: Betty Garton

Secretary-Treasurer: Helen Souder

FRESHMEN

LHS

SCHOOL CALENDAR

September

2 Enrolled.

6 New teachers--Miss Johnson, Miss O'Dowd, Mr. Gerwig, and Mr. Prible.

21 The Band practiced for the Street Fair Parade.

26 The day before Street Fair opened, several of the students were absent. (We hope they enjoyed watching people put up their booths.)

27 The Senior girls went out to the ball field and sold ice cream bars.

29 School let out at noon.

30 The Lancaster School had a grand showing at the Bluffton Street Fair School Parade. In the competition within Lancaster Township the Senior Class won first, the Juniors second, and the Sophomores third in attendance.

October

4 The teachers played the Ossian teachers here in Softball. Lancaster won, 4-3.

6 The teachers played the Ossian teachers there in Softball. The game remained a tie because of darkness.

6 The Seniors looked at samples of photography from Cron's Studio.

10 The Seniors decided to have a Senior party Oct. 21. They are using the money which they won by having the highest per cent present in the Street Fair parade.

12 The Senior Class decided to put out an annual this year.

13 The Seniors looked at pictures shown by a representative of the Ozaki Studio of Fort Wayne.

14 Ned Herrick was asked what his hobby was--He replied "SLEEPING."

17 Bob Durr's familiar laugh could be heard in the assembly--but just then Mr. Frough stepped in.

18 A photographer came from Minneapolis to show us sample pictures for the Yearbook.

21 The Senior s had a party at the home of Richard Smith. Everyone had a very enjoyable time.

21 The Freshmen enjoyed a party at the school house.

LHS

October

26 The Juniors gave their class play "The Haunted Castle."

26 Louise Deihl and Leonard Stuff were elected Yell Leaders.

27 No school! Teachers Association at Fort Wayne.

28 Ditto.

November

1 P. T. A. Meeting. Rev. Coers from Bluffton showed moving pictures of the school parade at Street Fair and also pictures taken in the old country.

3 Wendell Linn came to school with a black eye. My! My!

3 Leonard Stuff resigned as Yell Leader. Doris Elzey was elected in his place.

4 The Sophomores enjoyed a party at the school house.

8 The pump broke so we had only a half day of school.

9 The Seniors decided to sponsor a talkie movie.

11 Armistice Day Program--Rev. Lichau spoke. The downstairs children were all in the assembly for the program.

15 The Seniors ordered their caps and gowns.

16 The Seniors sponsored a moving picture called "Sixteen Fathoms of the Sea."

18 The Freshmen gave an assembly program.

21 Seniors had a class meeting in regard to the annual.

29 The Juniors enjoyed a party at Moser's Camp. Everyone had a nice time.

cember

1 Crash!!!! Who broke the camera? Seniors had their pictures taken. Where can I find a mirror? What!!!! Boys with neckties on!

2 The Sophomores gave an assembly program.

5 The Seniors received their proofs from their pictures. Gee, I never met the person before.

6 Kale Southern presented us with an assembly program which was very interesting. He told of some of his experiences as coach of an old time Football team.

LHS

December

7 The Juniors gave an assembly program. Their main feature was a kitchen orchestra.

16 An assembly program was presented by the Seniors.

16 The basketball team put up a great fight at Ossian. We were defeated--but nevertheless we certainly had team work.

19 The noon-class was the busiest place in school.

January

2 Imagine! Senior boys getting nutrition confused with neutrality--My! My!

3 Did you know that Miss Swisher wore one good shoe and one old one to school? My, what an example for the younger generation!

4 Do you ever borrow anything?????? Alfred Sheley never did unless he asked the owner first.

9 Seven new typewriters were purchased. No excuse for errors now!

10 P. T. A. Meeting. The students gave the program.

13 Friday the 13th-----Watch your step, Mr. Griffin, it's icy.

16 Popular music is being sung in the assembly every noon. Even Mr. Prough puts in a few high notes!

20 The boys got new basketball suits. We had one exciting pep session. However, that night Union defeated us by the small margin of two points.

24 Get a shovel! Stuck in the snow again. Did you ever see so much snow in all your life?

25 Craigville's fast team beat our 6th grade team by a mere three points.

February

1 Mr. Robert Grove, resident of this township gave a talk before the assembly and stressed the fact that June has a loving smile. Boys, what a chance!

2 Some of the Juniors and Seniors took a trip to Indianapolis to visit the state legislature in session. Much of value was learned and the trip was greatly enjoyed (especially Ted Weems and his orchestra)

3 Be careful of the ice--Roma, Roma, you're slipping! Oh that's too bad. Did you hurt yourself?

LHS

February

3 All classes in school had individual pictures taken for the annual

8 Seniors had a class meeting and discussed plans regarding the trip which they plan to take.

10 A certain Sophomore boy writes the sweetest letters--ask Myrl Wasson.

14 Lozure Wolfgang gave a short talk on the origin of Valentine Day.

15 The Sophomore Class had a class meeting and decided to have a skating party at Huntington. They have invited anyone who wishes to go.

15 The students received their pictures which will be put in the annual. Quite a few pictures were sold.

March

1 Some of the public speaking pupils gave a debate before the assembly.

2 Sectional Tourney opens tonight. We had a pep session which really raised the roof. We played good games in the tourney and we are all very proud of our team for going through to the finals.

6 Some of our annual pictures were retaken.

6 The Juniors have a new member in their class. We hear he gets along quite well with the Sophomore girls.

7 The P. T. A. held a penny supper here at the school in honor of our basketball boys.

8 Dwight Gallivan gave an assembly program. He spoke on Mexican Hay and its harmful effects.

10 The Sophomore Class held a skating party at Huntington. Everyone had an enjoyable time.

10 The Senior Class Play cast was selected.

13 We all wonder what is wrong with Doris Diehl's chin????? Ask some of the Junior boys--maybe they know!

22 What's this we hear about a certain Senior boy getting three noon tickets at one time?

24 Have you heard about that brilliant chap whom we call "Alfred" --robbing the cradle--Tsh! Tsh! Ask Reathel Bright!

March

27 We have all been wondering why Mr. Decker doesn't have a cot or bed put up in Sociology Class for some of our Senior boys who are inclined to sleep.

28 The Freshmen had their skating party at Decatur. About 75 students attended.

April

4 P. T. A. Meeting. We had our art and Home Economics exhibit. Miss Hartman's pupils gave a fine production of the play "Little Black Sambo."

4 The school put on a program sponsoring a movie entitled "The Girl of the Limberlost" based on the book written by Gene Stratton Porter.

7 Rev. Coers gave a very interesting talk on the purpose of Good Friday.

7 The Seniors presented as their class play "Romance in a Boarding House." Mr. Gerwig directed the play.

14 The Junior Class held a skating party at Huntington. All of the Lancaster students were invited and everyone had a nice time.

20 Seniors left for Chicago.

21 A tired but happy and "educated" group returned from a two-day trip where they saw some of the high spots of Chicago.

23 Baccalaureate.

25 Students remain at home while teachers grade final exams and make out reports.

26 Recognition Day.

26 Commencement.

LHS

SEVENTH GRADE

First Row: Vernon Gerber, Marjorie Woodward, Harold Shart, Betty Shady, George Greene, Melda Niblick, Howard Habbeggar, Alice Duncan,

Second Row: Gene Monticue, Doris Hall, Ezra Reinhard, Doris Groh, Carl Kaehr, Gene Lash, Betty Frye.

Absent: Pauline Argerbright.

President: Melda Niblick

Vice President: Vernon Gerber

Secretary-Treasurer: Marjorie Woodward

EIGHTH GRADE

First Row: Glenneveer Smith, Junior Mowery, Reathel Bright, Eugene Masterson, Earleen Frauhiger, Donald Schafer, Eileen McCune, Glen Sample.

Second Row: Gaylord Hunt, Ruth Hougendobler, Ervin Elzey, Elizabeth Hougendobler, Glen Fiechter, Esther Ginter, Wendell Gerber, Nannetta Maupin.

Third Row: Mary Ann Steffen, Wilbur Brindle, Wilma Barger, Eugene Moser, Mildred Fiechter, Richard Hamilton, Martha Rose Clark, Edsel Pierce.

Fourth Row: Kenneth Ross, Mildred Reinhard, Edwin Rodenbeck, Sarah Jane Aschliman, William Swartz, Deloris Wedler, Lozure Wolfgang, Walter Kipfer.

Fifth Row: Harold Blue, Alvin Fiechter, John Pease, James Wolf, Lavern Smith, William Frauhiger.

President: John Pease

Vice President: Harold Blue Secretary-Treasurer: Esther Ginter

GRADE 7

GRADE 8

LHS

L A N C A S T E R

Grades 1 and 2

Top Row: Dorothy Dishong, Richard Irvin Beeler, Bernice Agerbright, Rex Pursley, Betty Heffelfinger, Mae Modena Mowery, Kenneth Reinhard, Sarah Jane Nash, Carol Thomas.

Second Row: Jimmie Troyer, Marilyn Kay Wasson, Paul Kahn, Anna May Roberts, Ivan Pursley, Hilda Maxine Will, Harry Steffen, Patty Messick, David Paxson.

Third Row: Barbara Gass, Billy Kahn, Bonnie Lou Gibson, Davey Milholland, Rosella Schaefer, Keith Ross, Phyllis Kahn, Joy Stahl, Helen Agerbright.

Fourth Row: Victor Gerber, Kenneth Brickley, Donald Reese, Kenneth Hamilton.

Absent: Glenn Miller.

Grades 3 and 4

Top Row: William Duncan, Lauretta Anderson, Walter Ward, Annabelle Gentis, Dale Bowman, Mary Jane Mowery, Richard Paxson, Janis Ann Bynum, Russel Diehl.

Second Row: Hannah Ruth Habegger, Robert Grove, Lucile Gerber, Richard Meyers, Ruth Randall, Earl Dishong, Julia Smith, Robert Pursley, Carolyn Henry.

Third Row: Paul Roberts, Patty Dick, Wayne Reeg, Audrey Gerber, Dale Reinhard, Joan Wiebke, Robert Duncan, Peggy Lou Dick, Charles Springer.

Grades 5 and 6

Top Row: Wanda Gregg, Gaylord Leon Mounsey, Maxine Gibson, William Nash, Hilda Marie Steffen, Jack McClain, Mildred Schaefer, Edgar Wellington Mounsey, Meriam Nash.

Second Row: Donald Dishong, Mary Lynn Irvin, Chester Christain Habegger, Mary Louise Stahl, Robert Nordyke, Helen Nash, Bruce Milholland, Carolyn Jean Faus, Glen Schafer.

Third Row: Marsha Rue Pursley, Benjamin P. Habegger, Mona Glee Noble, Francis Myers, Lucile Mae Steffen, Kenneth Hanni, Dorothy Irene Ross, Forrest Anderson, Helen Louise Heffelfinger.

Fourth Row: Robert Gerber, Robert Daily Hartman, Evelyn Bowman, Billy G. Scott, Clarence Mowery, Roberta Hunt, James Reinhard, Richard Gentis.

Absent: Irene Agerbright.

LANCASTER

GRADES 1 & 2

GRADES 3 & 4

GRADES 5 & 6

M U R R A Y

Grades 1 and 2

Top Row: Marilyn Gross, Argyle Hougendobler, Alice Smith, Robert Clark, Joan Thompson, Lester Kahn, Joyce Lou Johnloz, Doyle Stern, Carolyn Eickel.

Second Row: Kenneth Dean McCormick, Grace Richards, Dwight Wolf, Janet Rose Faus, Robert Rayl, Anna Louise Clark, James Walter Rayl, Carolyn Harris, Jean Decker.

Third Row: Jack Decker, Ernest Elzey, Jack Wendell Eversole, Edward Cupp, Richard Hinshaw, Jack Wendell Eversole.

Absent: Willis Prichard.

Grades 3, 4, and 5

Top Row: Edwin Kahn, Opal May Bard, Robert Edwin Kahn, Virginia Marie Clark, Billy Lee Masterson, Delores Eileen Macon, Robert Lee Gilliom, Bonnie Trullender.

Second Row: Betty Lou Faus, Charles Dale Sheley, Elizabeth Ann Johnloz, Lloyd HowardStern, Velma Marie Davison, Earl Ostrander, Jr. Nellabell Wolf, Charles Masterson, Richard Bard.

Third Row: Edwin Dwayne Elzey, Vaughn J. Davison, Robert William Murray, Vergyle Howard Hougendobler, Raymond Max Faus, Jimmy Andrew Kleinknight, Crane Biberstine, Junior Meyers.

Absent: Donald Prichard.

Grades 6 and 7

Top Row: Bruce Inskeep, Berneil Smith, Wayne Hinton, Loretta Blondell, August Blondell, Martha Masterson, Verlin Davison.

Second Row: Joyce Smith, Ralph Rodenbeck, Ellen Jean Kleinknight, Dale Van Zent, Celestia Clark, Max Gilliom.

Third Row: Claude Sheley, Ruth Ostrander, Maxine Faus, Ruth Wolf, Louise Hougendobler, Hershel Freeman.

Absent: Imogene Prichard.

MURRAY

GRADES 1 & 2

GRADES 3-4-5

GRADES 6 & 7

C R A I G V I L L E

Grades 1 and 2

First Row: Lester Ray Crozier, Dixie Carleen Cash, Bobby Worden, Martha J. Liby, Don Junior Platt, Joyce Ann Bell, Arthur Lee Moser, Ruth J. Platt, Phil Moore.

Second Row: Barbara J. Garton, Luther Gerber, James Potter, Franklin C. Anderson, Vernon Crozier, Don Allen Yager, Lester Meyer, John Doyle Fiechter.

Absent: Bobby Wayne Call, Francis Huston, Donald R. Reinhard, Lucille Reinhard.

Grades 3, 4, and 5

First Row: Evelyn Aschliman, Richard Fiechter, Justine Worthman, Lorn McCune, Mildred Barger, Billie Barger, Roberta Mechling, David Hartman, Doris Fiechter.

Second Row: Richard Kreutzmann, Lillian Fiechter, Ralph Anderson, Helen Barger, Donald Byerly, Joyce Moore, Junior Sovine, Wanda Byerly, Walter Hartman.

Third Row: Phyllis Strahm, Wayne McCune, Berlene Potter, Truman Barger, Devona Fiechter, Billie Worden, Justine Fiechter, Ralph Fiechter, Georgie Mechling.

Fourth Row: Gene Bell, Dolores Aschliman, Lucile Zimmerman, Berniece Moser, Ruby Moser, Roselind Call.

Absent: Bonnie Lobsiger, Billie Huston, Glen Reinhard, Richard Reinhard.

Grades 6 and 7

First Row: Lela Moser, Junior Mullikin, Betty Mae Hall, Robert Johnloz, Phyllis Barger, Wayne Barger, Betty Durr, Charles Connelley, Gloria Mechling.

Second Row: Garth Hockley, Delila Frauhiger, James Moser, Evelyn Mankey, Edwin Call, Wendell Byerly, Buddy Steffen, George Miller, Robert Zimmerman.

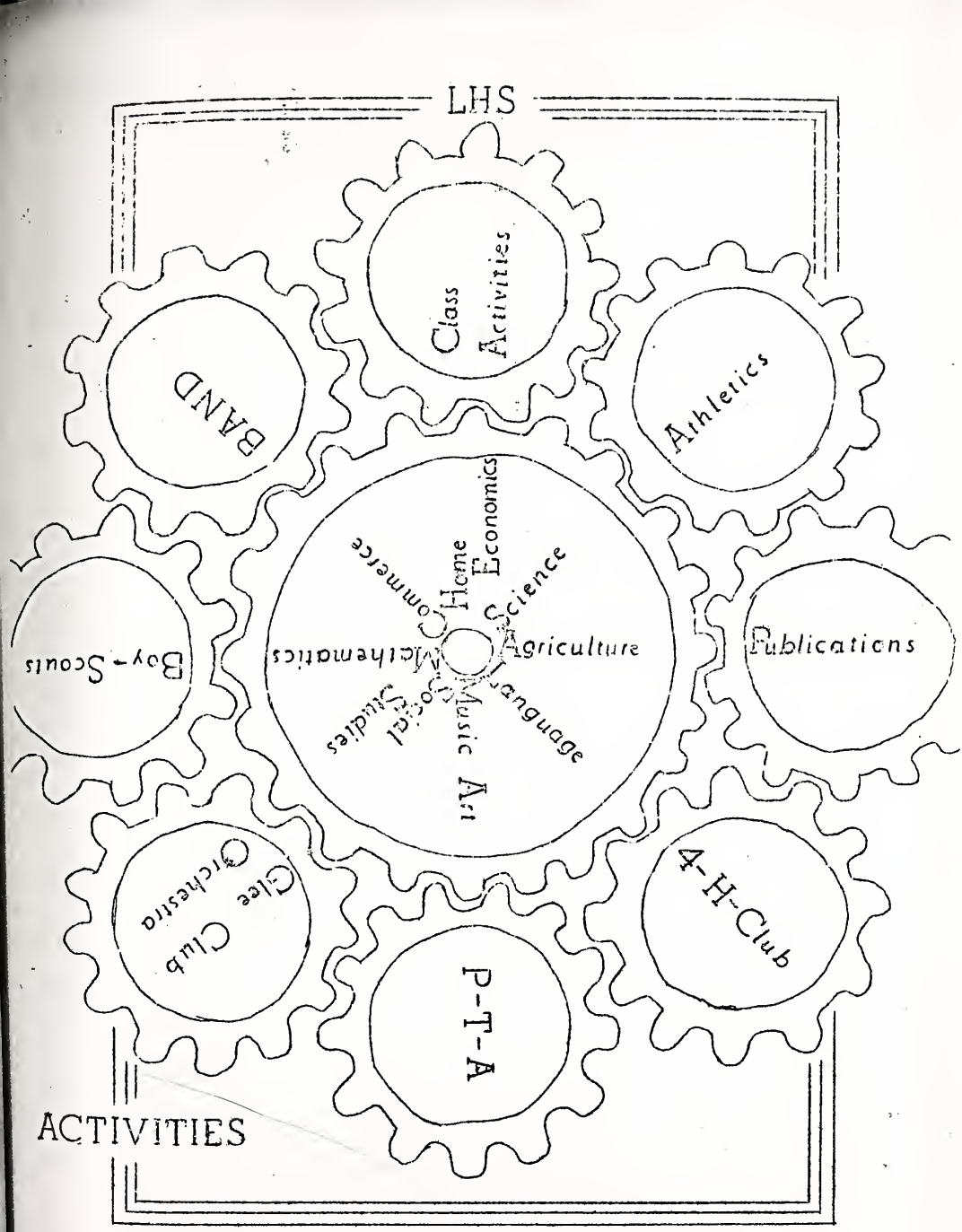
Third Row: John Barger, Dale Fiechter, Harry Wayne Strahm, Donald Frauhiger, Bobbie Myers.

CRAIGVILLE

GRADES 1 & 2

GRADES 3-4-5

GRADES 6 & 7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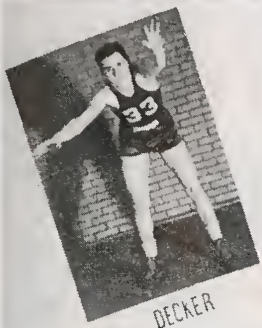
4-H-Club
P-T-A
Glee Club Orchestra
Boy-Scouts
BAND
Home Economics
Science
Agriculture
Language
Music
Art
Mathematics
Social Studies
Commerce
ACTIVITIES

			Smith	Decker	Linn	Stuff	Byerly	Durr	Dick	Brindle	Gerber	Brown	LANCASTER	OPPONENT
Nov. 9	Lafayette	T	4	8	5	8	2				2		29	36
Nov. 11	Petroleum	T	2	2	11	13	2				2		32	30
Nov. 18	Ossian	H	2	0	2	5	4	0	0		2	0	15	32
Nov. 22	Markle	H	32	15	2	1	2				2		34	18
Dec. 2	Liberty Center	T	4	11	2	0	3		0		0		20	22
Dec. 9	Rockcreek	T	5	10	4	6	0				0		29	25
Dec. 13	Chester	H	8	2	0	4	4	2	0				20	17
Dec. 16	Ossian	T	13	4	0	2	0	6					25	32
Dec. 21	Wilshire, Ohio	T	12	6	8	1	2	0	0		0	2	33	42
Dec. 23	Kirkland	H	6	7	3	6	4	3			0	0	29	28
Jan. 4	Union	T	4	4	4	2	0			5		0	19	21
Jan. 6	Rockcreek	H	7	12	0	7	0	1		0			27	31
Jan. 11	Huntington	H	10	11	6	5	3						35	31
Jan. 13	Petroleum		15	10	13	7	4						49	23
Jan. 20	Co. Tourney, (Union)		1	4	4	6	4	0	0				19	21
Jan. 27	Hartford Twp.	H	10	4	7	4	1	0	0	0			27	29
Feb. 3	Liberty Center	H	15	4	2		3	0	0	0		0	24	25
Feb. 10	Jackson	T	18	8	1		0	3	0	1	0	0	31	16
Feb. 17	Kirkland	T	10	3	5		3	1		3			25	22
Feb. 21	Blufiton	T	5	5	2	4	2	0	0	0		0	18	30
Feb. 24	Union	H	4	2	2	6	0	1	0	0		0	15	13
Mar. 3	Sectional Tourney Jefferson		2	13	15	2	2	7	4	0	0	2	47	17
Mar. 3	Kirkland		8	3	10	6	3	5			0		35	26
Mar. 4	Union		8	10	1	4	5	3					31	22
Mar. 4	Ossian		0	2	9	2	5	4		0	0	0	22	43
TOTALS			185	162	118	101	59	36	4	9	8	4	686	652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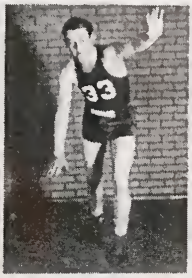
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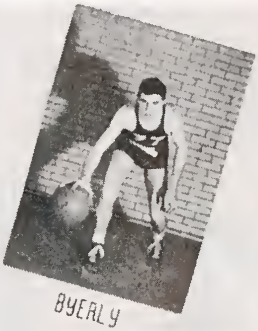
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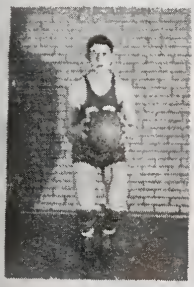
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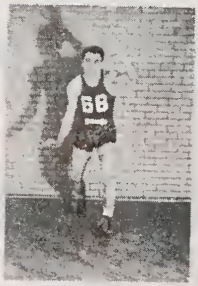
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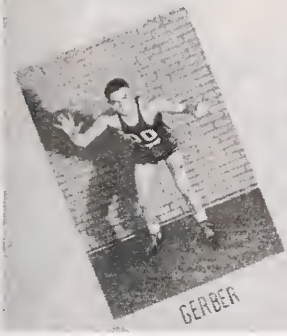
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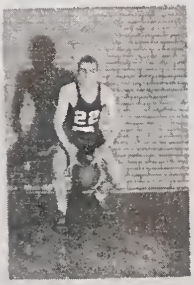
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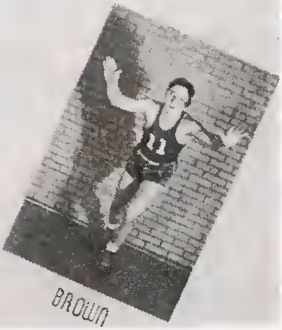
BROWN

ATHLETICS

SOFTBALL

On September 9 the softball team started its season at home, being defeated by Ossian. The score was nine to three, with Brindle pitching. There was very little hitting by the Lancaster team.

On September 13, in their second game of the season the team was badly beaten by Rockcreek, by the score of 18 to six. The Lancaster boys made many errors to help the Rockcreek cause. Byerly was the leading hitter with three out of four hits.

On September 16, in our game with Union, the team played a better game but came out on the short end of a six to four score. Linn was leading hitter with two out of thr· · Brindle was the pitcher for Lancaster.

On September 20, in our second game with Ossian, the Ossian team repeated that of the first game winning by the score six to two. Neither team did much hitting. Smith was the Lancaster pitcher.

On September 22, in a double header played with Markle, the Lancaster team came through in fine style by winning both games. The first game ended with the score 13 to five. The last game by the score 11 to four in favor of the Lancaster team. Brindle and Kehrn divided the pitching duties.

In a very close game played September 23 the Lancaster boys nosed out Rockcreek by the score of 11 to 10. Smith was the winning pitcher although he was hit hard.

The last game of the season was played September 27 when the Lancaster team defeated Union by the score of 12 to eight. The Lancaster team played a very good game, with Smith and Linn each getting a home run in addition to two other hits.

HORSE SHOE TOURNAMENT

During the first of October there was a horse shoe tournament held with 16 teams competing. The tournament was won by Roger Green and Wilbur Helbig who defeated Mr. Griffin and Mr. Decker.

BASKETBALL

On November 9 the Bobcats were defeated in their first game of the basketball season by Lafayette. The score was 36 to 29. Stuff and Decker were the leading scorers for the Bobcats with eight points each.

The second team was also defeated, the score being 21 to 14.

On November 11 the Bobcats won in an overtime at Petroleum by the score of 32 to 30. Stuff was leading scorer with 13 points. Linn was next with 11 points, and he also made the winning basket.

The baby Bobcats also won their game by the score of 25 to 19.

On November 18 the Bobcats played Ossian at the Bluffton Community Building. The game ended with Ossian in the lead by the score 32 to 15. The Bobcats made only four field goals, two of which were scored by Stuff who was high point man with five points.

The Bobcat reserve team was also beaten, by the score 23 to 20.

November 22 the Bobcats played Markle and won by the score 34 to 18. The Bobcats played a very good game of ball. Decker was high point man with 15 points followed by Smith who had 12.

The Bobcat cubs defeated Markle's second team by the score of 43 to 6.

On December 2 the Bobcats were defeated by Liberty Center in a very well played game, by the score 22 to 20. The Bobcats were leading at the half by the score 15 to seven. Decker was the leading scorer for the Bobcats with 11 points.

The baby Bobcats defeated the Lions Cubs by the score 21 to 17.

In our game played December 9 at Rockcreek the Dodgers won from the Bobcats by the score 29 to 25. The Dodgers were leading at the half by the score 18 to nine. In the last half the Bobcats outscored the Dodgers 16 to 11. Decker was high point man with 10 points.

The Bobcat second team lost also, by the score 28 to 18.

On December 13 the Bobcats defeated a strong Chester team by the score 20 to 17. It was a well played game with Chester leading at the half. Smith was high point man with seven points.

The Bobcat reserve team won over a fighting Chester reserve team by the score 14 to 10.

On December 16 the Ossian Bears downed the Bobcats again, this time by the score of 32 to 25. The Bobcats were leading at the half by the score 17 to 11. Smith led the Bobcat scoring with 13 points.

The Ossian cubs downed the Bobcat reserve team by the score 18 to 14.

On December 21 the Bobcats were defeated by Wilshire, Ohio on the latter's floor. The Wilshire team led at the half by the score 26 to 19. The game ended with Wilshire still in the lead by the score 42 to 33. Smith was high point man with 12 points followed by Linn and Decker with eight points each.

The baby Bobcats were also defeated in a well played game by the score 26 to 25.

In our game of December 23 with Kirkland the Bobcats won by the score 29 to 28. It was a very close game with Byerly getting a basket in the closing seconds of the game, which won for the Bobcats. Decker was high point man with seven points. Stuff and Smith followed with six each.

The Bobcats reserves were defeated by the score 15 to 12.

On January 4 the Union team defeated the Bobcats in an overtime game by the score 21 to 19. The score was tied at the half by the score 7 to 7. It was a very close game all the way. Brindle was high point man with 5 points, followed by Smith, Decker, and Linn with 4 points each.

In the second team game the Bobcats reserve team defeated the Union reserves by the score 20 to 6.

On January 6 the Rockcreek team defeated the Bobcats by the score 31 to 27. Decker was leading scorer with 12 points. The Bobcats put on a scoring spree in the closing minutes, but were unable to catch up.

In the second team game our team came out on top by the score 20 to 8.

In our game of January 11 with Huntington Catholic, the Bobcats played a very good game of ball. The Bobcats were leading at the half by the score 18 to 16. They went on to win by the score 35 to 31. Decker was high point man with Smith following close behind. They had 11 and 10 points respectively.

The reserve team won in an overtime by the score 21 to 19. Each team made a basket for the other side.

On January 13 the Bobcats played Petroleum and couldn't be stopped by the opposing Panthers. The score at the end of the game was 49 to 23. Smith was high point man with 15 points, followed by Linn with 13 points.

The second team was defeated by the score 19 to 15.

On January 20 the Bobcats played Union in the County Tournament and were defeated by the score 21 to 19. The score was tied at 11 at the half. Stuff was the leading scorer for the Bobcats with 6 points.

On January 27 the Bobcats were defeated in an overtime game played with Hartford Township of Adams County. The score was 29 to 27. Smith was high in scoring, with 15 points.

The baby Bobcats defeated the Hartford reserves by the score 19 to 18.

In our game on February 3 the Lions from Liberty Center just beat the Bobcats by a very narrow margin. The Bobcats were ahead until in the last minute when Liberty made their winning basket. The game ended with the score 25 to 24 with Liberty in front. Smith was leading scorer with 15 points.

The Lancaster reserve team defeated the Lions reserve team by the score 23 to 21.

On February 10 at Jackson, the Bobcats won by the score 31 to 15. The Bobcats were ahead at thehalf by the score 13 to five. Smith was the leading scorer with 18 points. Decker was next with eight points.

The Bobcat reserve team won over the Jackson reserve by the score 28 to 9.

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At Kirkland on February 17 the Bobcats defeated the Kirkland team by the score 25 to 22. It was a very close game all the way. Smith was high point man with 10 points.

The Bobcat second team won their game by the score 20 to 14.

On February 21 the Bobcats were defeated at Bluffton by the score 30 to 18. Smith and Decker were high in scoring with five points.

The Bobcat reserve team was also defeated by the score 23 to 14.

On February 24 in a very rough game the Bobcats defeated Union by the score 15 to 13. There was a total of 30 fouls called. Stuff was the leading scorer with six points.

The Bobcat reserve team defeated the Union reserves by the score 34 to 12.

In the Sectional Tourney held at Bluffton the Bobcats played Jefferson and won easily by the score 47 to 17. Linn was the leading scorer with 15 points followed by Decker with 13 points.

In the next round the Bobcats won over a hard fighting Kirkland team by the score 35 to 26. Linn was high point man with 10 points followed closely by Smith with eight points.

In the semi-finals the Bobcats played Union and came through in fine style by winning by the score 31 to 22. Decker was high point man with 10 points.

In the finals the Bobcats played Ossian and were defeated by the score 43 to 22. Linn was high point man with nine points.

During the current basketball season, the Bobcats had their ups and downs as all good teams do. In the last few games the team played very good ball, which is shown by the fact that the Bobcats played Ossian in the finals of the tourney and were defeated by a team who won the Sectional, Regional and were defeated by a one point margin in the Super-Regional. Wendell Linn, Bobcat forward, was picked on the All-Sectional first team with Wendell Decker and Dale Byerly receiving honorable mention. The Bobcats ended the season with a total of 12 won and 13 lost. The regular first team will all be lost by graduation. This includes Wendell Linn, Wendell Decker, Dale Byerly, John Stuff, and Richard Smith.

The regular first team consisted of five Seniors. Richard Smith, one of the forwards, was the Bobcats leading scorer with 185. He was very good on both defense and offense and was elected honorary captain for the season. Wendell Decker, the other forward, was next in scoring with 162 and was a good defensive man. Dale Byerly, our center, was a very good defensive player and he won several games for us in the closing minutes. John Stuff, a guard, was the player who usually brought the ball into offensive territory. He was a good scorer in most of the games. He was out part of the season because of an injured knee. Wendell Linn, the other guard, was a good defensive man although he was lost from many games because of fouls.

Wendell was one of the leading scorers in the sectional tournament. The reserve five was composed of five Sophomores. Robert Durr, a good offensive man, was always ready to help the Bobcats win. Ed Brindle was put on the team at the first of the second semester. He was a very good offensive player. Merle Dick usually played forward and should develop into a good offensive player. Richard Brown was a good defensive man. He was a good shot also. Kenneth Gerber was a defensive man and played an alert game.

The second team had a very good season, winning twelve games while losing eight. Those playing on the second team were Dwight Kehrn, James Kizer, George McClain, William Price, Emery Clark, Jack Claussen, Roger Greene, Enos Call, and some of the first team reserves. The team beat Kirkland, who was the winner of the Adams County Second Team Tourney, by the score 20 to 14.

Our student manager, Lloyd Schwartz, did everything in his power to make the team come through as they should.

INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL

During the season, boys not playing on the first and second teams, formed leagues and played at noons. There were about 25 boys participating. There were several very good games played. Members of the first team acted as team coaches.

VOLLEYBALL

At the close of the basketball season, all boys in High School interested in volleyball formed teams and played at noons. There were about 35 boys entered into this sport. Captains were appointed by the coach.

SPRING SOFTBALL

On April 11 the Lancaster softball team went to Chester Center and won the game by the score 21 to 14. Brindle was the pitcher with Pursley catching.

On April 13 the Lancaster softball team played Rockcreek on our diamond and came out on top with a score of 14 to 13. Brindle was the winning pitcher with Byerly catching. Herrick hit a home run with the bases full to help win the game.

JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL

The Lancaster Junior High School won the Wells County Championship March 15 and 16 by defeating Chester Junior High in two games played at the Bluffton Community Building. In the first game the Lancaster boys beat Chester by the score 22 to 19. In the second game the Lancaster Junior High beat them by the score 15 to 13 in an overtime. Chester was the largest team they had encountered this season and forced them to play two very good games to come out victorious.

The Lancaster Junior High earned the right to get in the playoff for the championship by winning eight games in the north half of the league while losing none. This is the second championship for our school since the league started three years ago. As a result of the victory, our trophy case will be the holder of another championship pennant, the "Little Brown Jug", and the victory cup. The team has established an enviable record of 15 won and one lost.

Lancaster Students to Rockcreek

A group of students from L. H. S. went to Rockcreek several weeks ago to present a convocation program. Wendell Linn was master of ceremonies. Those who participated in the program were Harry Steffen, David Paxson, Kenneth Brickley, and Victor Gerber, primary students; Janis Ann Bynum, Joan Wiebke, Annabelle Gentis, Mary Lynn Irvin, Mary Louise Stahl, Richard Gentis, and Forrest Anderson, grade students; Esther Ginter, John Pease, Chloe Anderson, Donna Bell, and Harriet Bickel, high school students.

Students to Indianapolis

A group of thirty Juniors and Seniors went by bus to Indianapolis while the State Legislature was in session and attended some of the sessions. Several other places of interest in the capital city, including the Soldiers and Sailors Monument and the Governor's Office, were visited by the group. Mr. Prough was in charge of this educational tour.

Rotary Essay Contest

Marie Fiechter entered into the Rotary Club "Highway Safety" essay contest. As hers was the only one written by a student at L. H. S., she and Miss O'Dowd, safety teacher, represented our school at a supper with members of the club.

The rules of the contest are that any school winning the contest three years successively will be entitled to keep the winning trophy. Chester Center, having won the two years before and winning again this year, have the trophy in their permanent possession now.

The contest is conducted every year by this club, so L. H. S. should show more interest the next three years and win a trophy too.

Public Speaking Debate

Some of the "Public Speaking" students showed their debating ability by presenting to the assembly a furious debate. The topic statement was "Too Much Emphasis is Placed Upon High School Athletics in Indiana." The affirmative was taken by Marie Fiechter, Jerry Fuller, and Pauline Marshall. The negative was defended by Dwight Kehrn, Wendell Decker, and Wendell Linn. The judges, composed of two students, Harriet Bickel and Billy Price, and three teachers, Miss O'Dowd, Miss Reed and Mr. Griffin, decided in favor of the affirmative.

Shorthand Class

The five members of the advanced shorthand class made an educational tour of business offices in Bluffton during the first semester of school. The Morris offices was the "high light" of the entire trip, closely followed by being permitted to operate the teletype machine at the Police Station.

RESERVES

JUNIOR HIGH

BOY SCOUTS

CHORUS

BAND

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Grade Operetta

"Susanna's Xmas Auction" was the title of the operetta given by the grades on December 23. The public was invited and the attendence was good. It was directed by our music teacher, Miss Marie Swisher.

Assembly Speakers and Programs

Many interesting speakers have appeared before our student body during this school year. Each class, too, furnished a program from their class body, and presented it before the assembly. Speakers we have had are: Rev. Jours, Bluffton; Rev. Licheau, Bluffton; Donald Lash, Bloomington; Robert Grove, Bluffton; Gale Southern, former college football coach; Dwight Gallivan, Bluffton; and a member of the State Police Force of Indianapolis.

JUNIOR CLASS PLAY

The Junior class, under the direction of Mr. Gerwig, English department, presented the comedy "The Haunted Castle." The persons who contributed to its success were as follows:

The Duke. . . . . .Dwight Kehrn
Johnny. . . . . Eugene Irvin
Tommy . . . . . Leonard Stuff
The Duchess . . . . .Harriet Bickel
The Guard . . . . . Roger Noble
The peasant . . . . .Richard Double
Aunt Martha . . . . . Gloria Hughes
The Baron . . . . . .Glen Moser
Miss Lake . . . . . .Marjorie Green
Malissa . . . . Mary Jane Wilcoxson
Patrica . . . . . .Betty Milholland
Eloise. . . . . .Louise Diehl

Senior Class Play

The Seniors presented their play entitled "Romance in a Boarding House" to an audience of more than 300 people on the night of Friday, April 7, 1939.

The play was a great success and credit for this success should go to Mr. Gerwig, class sponsor and director of the play, to various committees of the class who helped greatly in putting the show over, and to the cast of players, which follows:

Mrs. Smith. . . . . June Haifley
Mr. Smith . . . . . .Emery Clark
Mary Ann Smith, daughter. . . . . Jerry Fuller
Aristocrat from New York. . . . . .Dale Byerly
His wife. . . . . Doris Wolf
Their son . . . . . Wendell Decker
Duke of Sussex. . . . . Lloyd Schwartz
Mrs. Benson (Boarder) . . . . . Marie Fiechter
Miss McGillacuddy (Old Maid). .Pauline Marshall
Bill (Another boarder). . . . . Wendell Linn
Hetty (Maid). . . . . .Lillian Johnloz

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County Commercial Contest

Saturday, April 1, 1939, the County Commercial Contest was held at the Bluffton H. S. Lancaster won the contest by a large margin, totaling 28 points while the points of all the other schools together totaled only 26. This made the trophy cup we have won for the past two years our's permanently.

Those entered as teams who helped win were:

Bookkeeping I. . . . . .Vera Gahman, Wendell Linn
Typing I . . . . . Harriet Bickel, Betty Mitholland
Shorthand I. . . . . Harriet Bickel, Betty Mitholland
Typing II. . . . . June Haifley, Marie Fiechter
Shorthand II . . . . . June Haifley, Marie Fiechter
Commercial Arithmetic. . . . Alice Fiechter, Ed Brindle

Individual places were taken by:

Bookkeeping I:
Vera Gahman--First
Wendell Linn--Second

Typing I:
Harriet Bickel--First

Shorthand I:
Harriet Bickel--First

Typing II:
Marie Fiechter--Second
June Haifley--Third

Shorthand II:
Marie Fiechter--First

Commercial Arithmetic:
Alice Fiechter--Third

Total points scored by each school is as follows:

School	Points
Lancaster	28
Rockcreek	18
Bluffton	4
Liberty	3
Union	1
Chester	0
Jackson	0
Petroleum	0
Total points	54

Ossian did not enter the contest.

Band-------

The first public appearance of the band in the summer of 1938 was at Marion. Busses took the County Band to the Soldier's and Sailor's Home on Decoration Day to play for the crippled, sick, and disabled War Veterans.

A little later on in the summer, our band took an active part in the Peony Festival at Van Wert, Ohio. Nearly all the bands within a radius of fifty miles were there, each displaying its ability in playing and marching.

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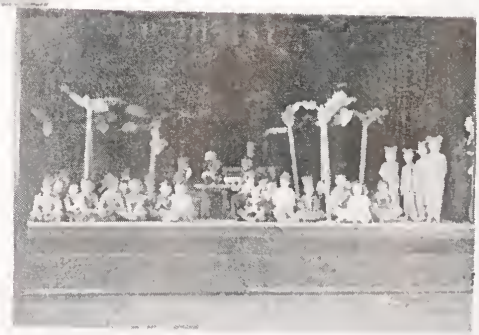
SENIOR PLAY CAST

COUNTY COMMERCIAL CONTEST

"LITTLE BLACK SAMBO"

RHYTHM BAND

LITTLE OLD LADIES



"LITTLE BLACK SAMBO"

The band's reward for its work for the past year was a trip to Indianapolis. This trip was purely excursional, as the band had no playing to do there.

Our band was well represented at the Bluffton Street Fair in which the county bands strutted their best. This was a very colorful and gala affair for everyone. Lancaster received many complimentary statements from the Bluffton businessmen.

At the Teachers' Convention in Fort Wayne in October, the band displayed its talent before an assemblage of teachers from all Northeastern Indiana. After the performance the band saw a good moving picture at the Palace Theatre.

Our first appearance while playing from our new band books was at the Teachers' Institute at Bluffton just a few weeks ago. Immediately after playing at the Community Building, we went to the Grand Theatre and enjoyed a moving picture and a floor show, by the "Morning Round-Up Gang" from WOWO.

4-H club

In the club year of 1938, forty-three members of this club finished their projects and exhibited them at the Bluffton Street Fair.

The total amount of money received by the Lancaster girls in prizes from the fair was about $50.00.

Home Economics

The Sophomore girls who are taking Home Economics went to Muncie on March 31 to attend the annual Home Economics activities program.

The program consisted of music, stunts by various schools, style show, posture demonstrations, and a panel discussion on social problems of high school boys and girls. The last feature of their day was a tour of the Ball State Teachers College campus, and tea in the Home Economics department.

Coach and Captain Supper

The week before the sectional tourney, the Kiwanis Club of Bluffton gave a supper, inviting the coaches and captains of each county basketball team as guests. The main speaker of the program was Burl Friddle, coach of the South Side team of Fort Wayne.

Our coach, Paul Prible, and floor captain, Wendell Docker, represented our team at the supper.

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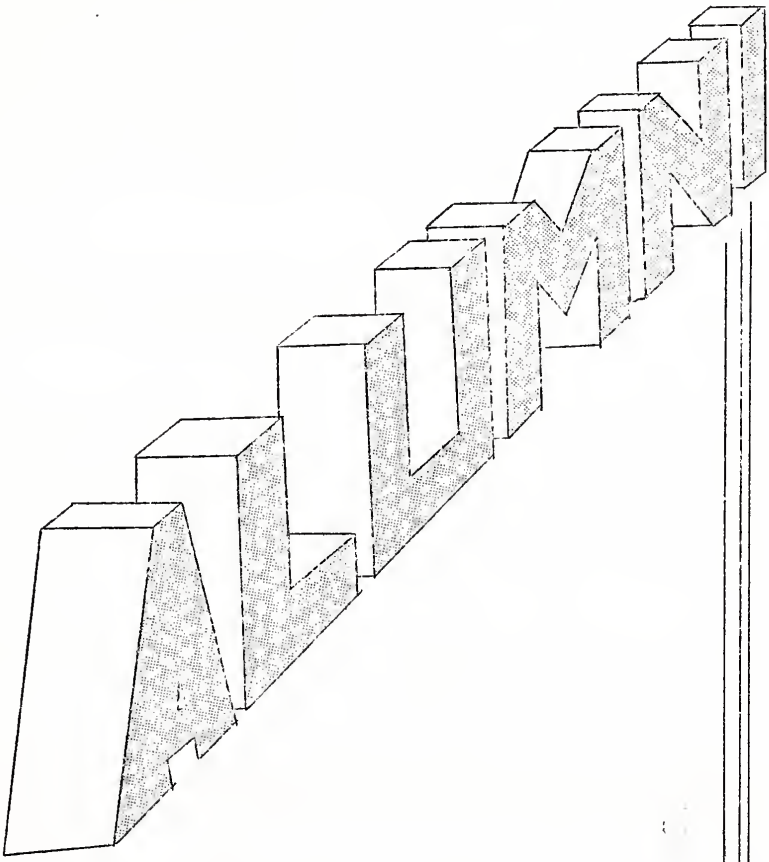

The staff of the '39 annual wrote to the members of the classes of '23 and '24, asking for information concerning their activities since graduation. It was thought that this would be of considerable interest to the older graduates of Lancaster. Up to the present time, however, we have received replies from only seven former students. Portions of their letters follow:

"I note that you ask for an accurate account of my activities in the past years. Surely you do not expect one to incriminate himself by telling the truth about his activities.

"From September, 1924, until June, 1928, I was in Indiana University. Since that date, I have been connected with the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States, whose Bloomington office is located in the Graham Hotel. I was married on July 7, 1933. My wife was formerly Miss Helen R. Younger of Bedford, Indiana. We have one daughter, Marilyn Ann Mills, born July 1, 1938. We live at 211 South Union Street, Bloomington, Indiana."

(Signed) Ralph R. Mills

"I worked on the Nickle Plate Railroad for twelve years and have been farming the last three years in Lancaster Township. I am married and have a baby girl born March 25 of this year."

(Signed) Kenneth C. Reed

"I graduated with the class of 1924. I was employed by the Cloverleaf Creameries for about 18 months; after that I tried my hand at salesmanship for about four months, "You know, the Fuller Brush Man?" In the spring of 1926, I was employed as a filling station attendent, and a few months later I took a civil service examination. On October 26, 1926, I was appointed as a substitute at the post office at Bluffton, Indiana. I was shifted from one department to another from time to time, and at present I am designated as a utility clerk.

"I married Marguerite Myers from Liberty Township on May 25, 1929. I have two sons, Gene and James, nine and six years old respectively."

(Signed) Alvie W. Meyer

"After graduating from the class of '24, I went to International Business College in Fort Wayne and graduated from their Secretarial-Stenographic course. For six years I was employed by the law firm of Shambaugh & Shambaugh in Fort Wayne.

"In the early part of 1932, I moved from Fort Wayne to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, where one of my sisters and her family also reside. I was employed for four years in the Accounting Department of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, and resigned in July, 1938.

"I was married July 30, 1938, to Donald M. Sorden, a native and lifelong resident of Philadelphia. My occupation now--housewife.

"While I am inclined to doubt whether we can have much influence on the vicissitudes of fortune, as the years roll by, I often wish I was again back "along the banks of the Wabash." And always since I have resided out

of the state of Indiana, I have never missed the opportunity of mentioning the fact that I am still a Hoosier."

(Signed) Madge C. White Sorden

"After graduating from L. H. S. with the class of '24, I immediately went to work in Fort Wayne, doing tree surgery. On August 1, 1924, I had to give up this work on account of ill health and took employment at Kingsland with Bell's Store, working there two months. I was forced to quit to go to a hospital for five weeks, undergoing two operations.

"I resumed my work at Kingsland January 1, 1925, and on November 1, 1925, I was sent to Murray as manager of that store.

"In the spring of '25, I met Ellanor Frink of Ossian and on June 25, 1927, we were married and came to Murray to live. Our first child, Elizabeth Ann, was born April 21, 1929, and two years later on August 30, Joyce Lou came to join us.

"In the spring of '32, we purchased the store I had been managing. The same fall I started driving a school bus and have continued to do so up until the present time. In February 1933, we started operation of a huckster truck in connection with the store. I was president of L. H. S. Alumni from April '34 until April '35. On September 14, 1938, David Keith came to us, this being the third child in our home.

"Since I left my studies, I am happy to say I have always lived, with the exception of a few months in Fort Wayne, within sight of L. H. S.

(Signed) Hie Johnloz

"I am married and we have lived on the "Old Auburn Road," ten miles north of Fort Wayne, the last eight years. My husband is employed at the General Electric in Fort Wayne. We have no children. Besides being a housewife, I have a hobby for flowers and pets.

(Signed) Elsie Zehner Jentzsch

"After graduation from Lancaster, I attended Madam Blaker's College in Indianapolis. I then taught two years at Lancaster, after which I taught in the Indianapolis Schools for four years. Since 1933 I have been teaching in the Craigville and Lancaster Central Schools. I have been doing additional college work at Butler and Ball State.

(Signed) Mary Louise Reynolds

ALUMNI

It is probable that this list of alumni contains many mistakes but it represents our best efforts in securing the address and occupation of each person who has graduated from Lancaster Central High School.

CLASS OF 1923

NAME	OCCUPATION	ADDRESS
Bell, Wilda Paxson	Housewife	Craigville, Ind.
Blue, Beth	Teaching	Plymouth, Indiana
Ehrman, Lola Barger	Housewife	Decatur, Indiana
Geary, Mabel Patterson	Unknown	Unknown
Harvey, Henry	Farming	R. R. 4, Bluffton, Ind.
Hoover, Ralph	Farming	Ossian, Ind.
Jentzsel, Elsie Zehner	Housewife	R. R. 1, Ft. Wayne, Ind.
Johnson, Larimer	Clerking	Toledo, Ohio
Meyer, Alton	Medical Student	Indianapolis, Indiana
Schwartz, Celia	Secretary	Ft. Wayne, Ind., c/o Y.M.C.A.
Shady, Charles	Paper Mill	Hartford City, Ind.
Smith, Dorothy Paxson	Secretary	Bluffton, Indiana
Wasson, Edna Plummer	Housewife	4706 Tacoma St., Ft. Wayne
Wilmington, Alta Kleinknight	Telephone Operator	370 Euterpe St., Lagune Beach California

CLASS OF 1924

Cotterly, John	Mechanic	Payne, Ohio
Durr, Leon	Electrician	Flint, Michigan
First, Edna	Unknown	Unknown
Gleim, Walter	Stone Quarry	Wabash, Indiana
Johnloz, Hie	Murray Store Prop.	R. R. 4, Bluffton, Ind.
Johnson, Paul	Farmer	Bluffton, Indiana
Kershner, Hazel Busick	Housewife	White Pegion, Michigan
Meyer, Alvie	Postal clerk	415 E. Wiley Ave., Bluffton
Mills, Ralph	Insurance Co.	Bloomington, Indiana
Raber, Dorothy Bender	Housewife	2117 Brown Street, Ft. Wayne
Reed, Kenneth	Farming	Craigville, Indiana
Reynolds, Mary Louise	Teaching	Bluffton, Indiana
Sorden, Madge White	Housewife	922 S. 49th, Philadelphia, Pa.
Wasson, Ralph	Farming	Craigville, Indiana
Whicker, Helen Shady	Housewife	Portland, Indiana

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Chandler, Vera Barger	Housewife	Ft. Wayne, Indiana
Gilliom, Roberta Dowty	Housewife	Bluffton, Indiana
Gleim, Hazel Lesh	Housewife	St. Paul, Minnesota
Gleim, Kenneth	Marshall Fields	St. Paul, Minnesota
Harris, Honor Kleinknight	Housewife	Uniondale, Indiana
Holmes, Gladys	Unknown	Unknown
Kleinknight, Edwin	Car Salesman	Ossian, Indiana
Lindeman, Ralph	International Harvester	Tocsin, Indiana
Myer, Irene Speheger	Housewife	Portland, Indiana
Myer, Oliver	Teaching	Bluffton, Indiana
Oman, Floyd	Manager of Warehouse	Chicago, Illinois

CLASS OF 1925 (Continued)

NAME	OCCUPATION	ADDRESS
Price, James	Salesman	Greensburgh, Pennsylvania
Rupright, Minnie Elzey	Housewife	Tocsin, Indiana
Rupright, Robert	State Highway Dept.	Ossian, Indiana
Salisbury, Esther	Unknown	Unknown
Shedd, Arthur	Hack Driver	Bluffton, Indiana
Sills, Alta Warthman	Housewife	309 W. Leith St., Ft. Wayne
Sorg, Lorene Speheger	Housewife	Goshen, Indiana
Sowards, Marvin	Unknown	California
Wile, Olive Ulmer	Housewife	Bluffton, Indiana

CLASS OF 1926

Bowman, Harold	Bowling Alley, Prop.	Warsaw, Indiana
Bright, Martin	Electrician	West Middlesex, Pa.
Caster, Grace Barwiler	Housewife	Unknown
Johnson, Burris	Filling Station	Tocsin, Indiana
Lewton, Hazel Hunt	Housewife	Detroit, Michigan
Lockwood, Mildred Maddux	Housewife	Uucaipa, California
Lytle, Gladys	Unknown	Unknown
Messick, Harley	Mgr. 5 and 10 Store	Ada, Ohio
Moser, Frederick	Farming	R. R. 4, Bluffton, Ind.
Motz, George	Grocery Chain	409 N. Main St., Elkhart, Ind.
Salisbury, Gretchen Bell	Housewife	Cicero, Indiana
Salisbury, Martha	Unknown	Unknown
Siedel, Doris White	Housewife	Fort Wayne, Indiana
Sheets, Ernest	Electrical Inspector	R. R. 2, Fairmount, Ind.
Speheger, Benjamin	Interne	Indianapolis, Indiana
Stoller, Lillian Fiechter	Housewife	Van Wert, Ohio
Taylor, Nina Schwartz	Housewife	2943 S. Hanna St., Fort Wayne

CLASS OF 1927

Beberstine, May Mock	**General Electric**	**Fort Wayne, Indiana**
Bevington, Arthur	State Highway Emp.	Waterloo, Indiana
Bright, Wallace	Apex Electrical Co.	Sandusky, Ohio
Callow, Edna Drum	Housewife	Decatur, Indiana
Decker, Dorothy Gilliom	Housewife	Bluffton, Indiana
Dowty, Kenneth	Druggist	Fort Wayne, Indiana
Edington, Miriam	Home	Ossian, Ind., R. R. 2
Erhart, Lucille Milholland	Housewife	Bluffton, Indiana
Huffman, Wilbur Russell	General Electric	New Haven
Jackson, Dwight	General Electric	Fort Wayne, Indiana
Lusk, James	Electrical Engineer	Monticello, Indiana
Porter, Harold	Farming	Craigville, Indiana
Schorey, Evelyn Robart	Housewife	Bluffton, Indiana
Shady, Marshall	Unknown	Unknown
Wasson, Paul	Erie Stone Quarry	Bluffton, Indiana
Wiebke, Pallas Kleinknight	Housewife	Ossian, Indiana
Wilson, Sherman	Unknown	Unknown

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CLASS OF 1928

NAME	OCCUPATION	ADDRESS
Barwiler, Margaret	Secretary	Bluffton, Indiana
Blume, Arthur	General Electric	Fort Wayne, Indiana
Boester, Merea Bright	Housewife	2505 Gay St., Ft. Wayne
Braden, Alice Lydy	Housewife	Bluffton, Indiana
Daugherty, Donna	General Electric	Uniondale, Indiana
Davis, Glendora Lesh	Manager of Beauty Shop	Warsaw, Indiana
French, Kenneth	General Electric	Bluffton, Indiana
Garton, Wendell	General Electric	Craigville, Indiana
Hartman, Kenneth	City Light & Water Co.	Bluffton, Indiana
Kawa, Ruth Curry	Housewife	Elgin, Illinois
Kleinknight, Ralph	Truck Driver	Bluffton, Indiana
Meyer, Susanne Kiefer	Housewife	R. R. 2, Bluffton
Paxson, Gwendolyn Niblick	Secretary	Fort Wayne, Indiana
Paxson, Lloyd	Clerking	Fort Wayne, Indiana
Price, Robert	Salesman	Chicago, Illinois
Reinhart, Devona	Beauty Operator	Ossian, Indiana
Speheger, Walter	Soil Conservation	Bluffton, Indiana
Wilcoxson, Carl	Kroger Warehouse	R. R. 1, Fort Wayne

CLASS OF 1929

Blume, Jessie	Detroit Wire & Dye Co.	c/o Henry Bloemker, R. R. 2, Decatur, Ind.
Bowman, Mary Harris	Housewife	Bluffton, Indiana
Cutler, Elmer	Inca Factory	Fort Wayne, Indiana
Dawson, Vivian Herrick	Housewife	2310 Eby Ave., Fort Wayne
Gilliom, Wayne	General Electric	Fort Wayne, Indiana
Hoffman, Esther Kiefer	Housewife	1831½ Hale Ave., Fort Wayne
Kaufman, Mary	Housework	Craigville, Indiana
Kaufman, Maude	Housework	Craigville, Indiana
Kipfer, Erna L. Frauhiger	Housewife	R. R. 4, Bluffton, Ind.
Mahler, Nellie Warthman	Housewife	1109 Dodge St., Fort Wayne
Meyer, Corrine	Secretary	Chicago, Illinois
Munson, Max	University	Craigville, Indiana
Pennington, Dwight	Unknown	Bluffton, Indiana
Reed, Harold	Bookkeeper	404½ W. Broadway, Logansport
Reinhart, Norma	Secretary	Ossian, Indiana
Shady, Eunice	Magnavex Factory	519 Riverside Drive, Ft. Wayne
Shady, Joseph	C. C. C. Camp	Bluffton, Indiana

CLASS OF 1930

Bell, Brooks	Principal	Paoli, Indiana
Bevington, Claude	State Employee	Waterloo, Indiana
Durr, Garth	Erie Stone Quarry	Craigville, Indiana
Durr, Raymond	Erie Stone Quarry	Craigville, Indiana
Gallivan, Dwight	Court Reporter	Craigville, Indiana
Gerber, Amos	Banker	Bluffton, Indiana
Gibson, Graydon	Welfare Work	R. R. 2, Ossian, Ind.
Myers, Charles	Farming	Craigville, Indiana

CLASS OF 1930 (Continued)

NAME	OCCUPATION	ADDRESS
Souder, Robert	Country Club	R. R. 4, Bluffton, Ind.
Souder, Margaret Eversole	Housewife	R. R. 4, Bluffton, Indiana
Sprunger, Harriet Lungenbill	Housewife	R. R. 4, Bluffton, Ind.
Wedler, Harold	W. P. A.	R. R. 2, Ossian, Ind.
Wilcoxson, Ralph	Deceased	

CLASS OF 1931

Call, Edward	Mercer Lumber Co.	Bluffton, Indiana
Clark, Francis Speheger	Housewife	R. R. 4, Bluffton, Ind.
Cupp, Williard	Coca Cola Co.	Fort Wayne, Indiana
Daugherty, Olene	General Electric	Uniondale, Indiana
Diehl, Millard	Auto Salesman	Craigville, Indiana
Dowty, Hubert	Filling Station	Ossian, Indiana
Eichhorn, Robert	Farming	Bluffton, Indiana
Eversole, Woodrow	Unknown	Unknown
Gibson, Avis Woodward	Housewife	Ossian, Indiana
Haifley, Irene	Ass't to Dentist	110 E. Congress St., Sturgis, Michigan
Heckley, Morris	Clerking	Fort Wayne, Indiana c/o Sears, Roebuck & Co.
Higgins, Garnet Curry	Housewife	Bluffton, Indiana
Hunt, Berniece	Home	Bluffton Indiana, $. 4.
Kaehr, Mahilda Gerber	Housewife	Decatur
Kaufman, Marguerite	Clerking	Craigville
Kiefer, Herman	Dunbar Employee	1028 Miller St., Bluffton
Koons, Regine Dowty	Housewife	Unknown
Myers, John	Farming	Craigville, Indiana
Pease, Paul	Student at Pacific School of Religion	Berkley, California
Price, Harvey	Scout Executive	Dallas, Texas
Speheger, Lloyd	Farming	Bluffton, Indiana
White, David	Warner Gear	Auburn, Indiana
Zirkle, George	International Harvester	Fort Wayne, Indiana

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Andrew, Dean	St. House Emp.	Indianapolis, Indiana
Call, Mary Belle Wilson	Housewife	Bluffton, Indiana
Curry, Harold	Farming	Liberty Center
Elzey, Earl	Farming	Craigville, Indiana
French, Betty	Secretary	Bluffton, Indiana
Ginter, Irvin	Barber	Ossian, Indiana
Groh, Robert	Farming	Bluffton, Indiana
Johnloz, Fay Jackson	Housewife	Bluffton, Indiana
Johnloz, William	Grocer	R. R. 4, Bluffton, Ind.
Kelsey, Lowell	Unknown	Fort Wayne, Indiana
Maupin, Edna	Home	Bluffton, Indiana
Messick, Harold	Horton Washing Machine Co.	724 High St., Fort Wayne

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Reed, Josephine Studebaker	Housewife	404½ Broadway, Logansport
Shady, Wendell	W. P. A.	Bluffton, Ind.
Wilcoxson, Harold	Kroger Warehouse	R. R. 1, Fort Wayne, Ind.

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Aker, Josephine Roussey	Housewife	Bluffton, Indiana
Andrew, Pauline	Unknown	Fort Wayne, Indiana
Bracht, Inez Myers	Housewife, Beauty Operator	Craigville, Indiana
Cochran, Laura Meyer	Housewife	Gilford, Indiana
Coleman, Veta R.	Housewife	Unknown
Collier, Kenneth	Teaching	Bluffton, Indiana
Edington, Robert	Farming	Bluffton, Indiana
Farrar, Gerald	Farming	Michigan
Gahman, Robert	Telephone Lineman	Craigville, Indiana
Gerber, Sylvia	Clerk	Craigville, Indiana
Graham, Martha Plank	Housewife	Bluffton, Indiana
Grove, Herschel	Settergreen Co.	501 W. Lancaster St., Bluffton, Indiana
Harris, Robert	Ossian Stockyards	Craigville, Indiana
Hartman, Mildred	Teaching	Ossian, Indiana
Huffman, Violet Mankey	Housewife	Decatur, Indiana
Hunt, Loren	Employee Gas Co.	Bluffton, Indiana
Kleinknight, Gretchen	Home	Bluffton, Indiana
Lesh, Richard	Beauty Operator	Warsaw, Indiana
Manley, Maxine	Beauty Shop	Bluffton, Indiana
Martin, Ruby	Unknown	Idaho
Miller, Eileen Bowman	Housewife	Grove & Baxter's, Bluffton
Miller, Beryl	McDowell Lumber Co.	Bluffton, Indiana
Porter, Helen Bay	Housewife	Craigville, Indiana
Prough, Lois Meade	Unknown	Waynedale
Reed, Helen	Lancaster Teacher	Craigville, Indiana
Roop, Pauline Heckley	Housewife	Craigville, Indiana
Shady, Dwight	Teaching	Bluffton, Indiana
Shimer, Ruth Kershner	Housewife	Bluffton, Indiana
Snider, Ethel	Office Work	Bluffton, Indiana
Troxel, Ralph	Clerk in Shoe Store	Chicago, Illinois
Warner, Verena Smith	Housewife	Condit, Ohio
Wasson, Mary Margaret	Clerking	2718 South Anthony, Ft. Wayne
Wibel, Joseph	Machine Shop	Bluffton
Zirkle, Mary	Clerking	Bluffton, Ind.

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Collier, Eileen	Nursing	Montclair, New Jersey
Dailey, Robert	Cline Lumber Co.	Ossian, Indiana
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Elzey, Viva	General Electric	Bluffton, Ind., R. R. 4

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Garton, Donovan	Craigville Elevator	Craigville, Indiana
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Lydy, Walter	Unknown	Unknown
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Mast, Georgia Moore	Housewife	Goshen, Indiana
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Miller, George	Floral Employee	Bluffton, Indiana
Moore, Norma	Home	Bluffton, Indiana
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Murray, Paul	Contractor	Ossian, Indiana
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Myers, Ray	Factory	Craigville, Indiana
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Park, George	Farming	Uniondale, Indiana
Paxson, Rodney	Stone Quarry	Kokomo, Indiana
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Wedler, Lester	Farming	Ossian, Indiana
Williams, Francis Hinshaw	Housewife	Bluffton, Indiana

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Carder, Burdine	Artist	Fort Wayne, Indiana
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Haifley, William	Mgr. Custom Cannery	Bluffton, Indiana
Harris, Paul	Interior Decorator	Bluffton, Indiana
Hinshaw, Edgar	Farming	Bluffton, R. R. 4
Hunt, Beulah Jane Snider	Housewife	R. R. 4, Bluffton, Indiana
Kaufman, Josephine Pease	Housewife	Craigville, Indiana
Mankey, Mabel	Waitress	Bluffton, Indiana
Miller, Byrlin	Florist	R. R. 1, Bluffton, Ind.
Mills, Wayne	Farming	Ossian, Indiana
Mock, Willard	Home	Bluffton, Indiana
Myers, Earl	Home	Craigville, Indiana
Osborn, Dale	Dairy Employee	Decatur, Indiana
Paxson, Lois	Att. Ball State	Bluffton, Indiana
Paxson, Ruth	Clerking	E. Wabash St., Bluffton
Roose, Donald	Unknown	Unknown
Shady, Katherine Wasson	Housewife	R. R. 4, Bluffton, Ind.
Troxel, Marjorie	Secretary	Gary, Indiana
Von Emon, Audrey	Nurse Training	c/o Methodist Hospital, Fort Wayne, Indiana
Walsh, John	Contracter	Fort Wayne, Indiana
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Decker, Bruce	Att. I. U.	Bluffton, Indiana
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Hamilton, Edwin	Elevator	Ossian, Indiana
Hetrick, Donald	Clerking	Hellworth Apts. E. Wayne St. Ft. Wayne
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Lydy, Max	Farm Bureau Creamry	Ossian, Indiana
Miller, Wilma	Home	Craigville, Indiana
Munson, June Williams	Housewife	Bluffton, Indiana
Murray, Dwight	Home	Ossian, Indiana
Paxson, Roger	Farming	Craigville, Indiana
Reber, Wayne	Factory Employee	Muncie, Indiana
Schwartz, Martha	Secretary	Y. W. C. A. Ft. Wayne, Indiana
Shady, Nina	Home	Ossian, Indiana R. R. 2
Souder, Franklin	Home	Craigville, Indiana
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Wasson, Madge	Secretary	Craigville, Indiana
Wisner, Louise	Home	Craigville, Indiana

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Daugherty, Harold	Wayne Pump	Helswarth, Indiana
Dorman, Arivilla Scott	Housewife	Redkey, Indiana
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Durr, Marvin	Home	Craigville, Indiana
Elzey, Maxine	Home	Bluffton, Indiana
Gallivan, Victor	Att. International Business College	Craigville, Indiana
Gerber, Glen	Clerk	Craigville, Indiana
Hamilton, Mary Jane	Home	Ossian, Indiana
Heckley, Doris	Housework	Decatur, Indiana
Henry, Margret	Att. Ball State	Bluffton, Indiana
Henshaw, Doris	Home	Bluffton, Indiana
Kizer, Ralph	Att. Washington College	116 College Avenue Pullman, Washington
Kleinknight, Marvin	Home	Bluffton, Indiana
Mechling, Max	Farming	Craigville, Indiana
Messick, Morris	International Harvester	Liberty Center, Indiana
Milholland, Martha	Housework	Bluffton, Indiana
Miller Dorothey	Housework	Bluffton, Indiana
Mills, Robert	Farming	Ossian, Indiana
Myers, Richard	Mechanic	Bluffton, Indiana
Niblick, Dwight	Emp. Manley Motor Sales	Bluffton, Indiana
Paxson, Doris Byerly	Housewife	Craigville, Indiana

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Potter, Doris	Telephone Operator	Craigville, Indiana
Price Daniel	Home	Ossian, Indiana
Raber, Brooks	Farming	c/o Mrs. Telfer Paxson Bluffton, Indiana
Roussey, Raymond	Home	
Shady, Mabel	Beauty Operator	Bluffton, Indiana
Stogdill, Robert	International College	Ft. Wayne, Indiana
Woodward, Geraldine Johnloz	Housewife	Ossian, Indiana

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Barger, Virgine	Housework	Craigville, Indiana
Bender, Marie	Home	R. 1 Bluffton, Indiana
Bickel, Leah	Mgr. Swazee Beauty Shop	Swazee, Indiana
Booth, Jane Milholland	Housewife	Bluffton, Indiana
Diehl, Wendell	Home	Bluffton, Indiana
Foster, Leonard	Home	Bluffton, Indiana
Garton, Wilborne	Homo	Craigville, Indiana
Green, Robert	Office, Co. Assessor	Kingsland, Indiana
Groh, Florence	Office Work	Defiance, Ohio
Hunt, Leon	Emp. Moser's	Bluffton, Indiana R. 4
Kiefer, Ruth	Home	R. 1 Bluffton, Indiana
Mayer, Roger	Mgr. Shell Station	R. 4 Bluffton, Indiana
Miller, Betty	Home	R. 1 Bluffton, Indiana
Mock Max	Home	R. 1 Bluffton, Indiana
Noble, Helen	Home	Ossian, Indiana
Raber, Ruth	Housework	Bluffton, Indiana
Simons, Rosanna Myers	Housewife	Berne, Indiana
Smuts, Ray	Home	R. 4 Bluffton, Indiana
Tschannen, Donald	Owns and runs a portable mill	Craigville, Indiana
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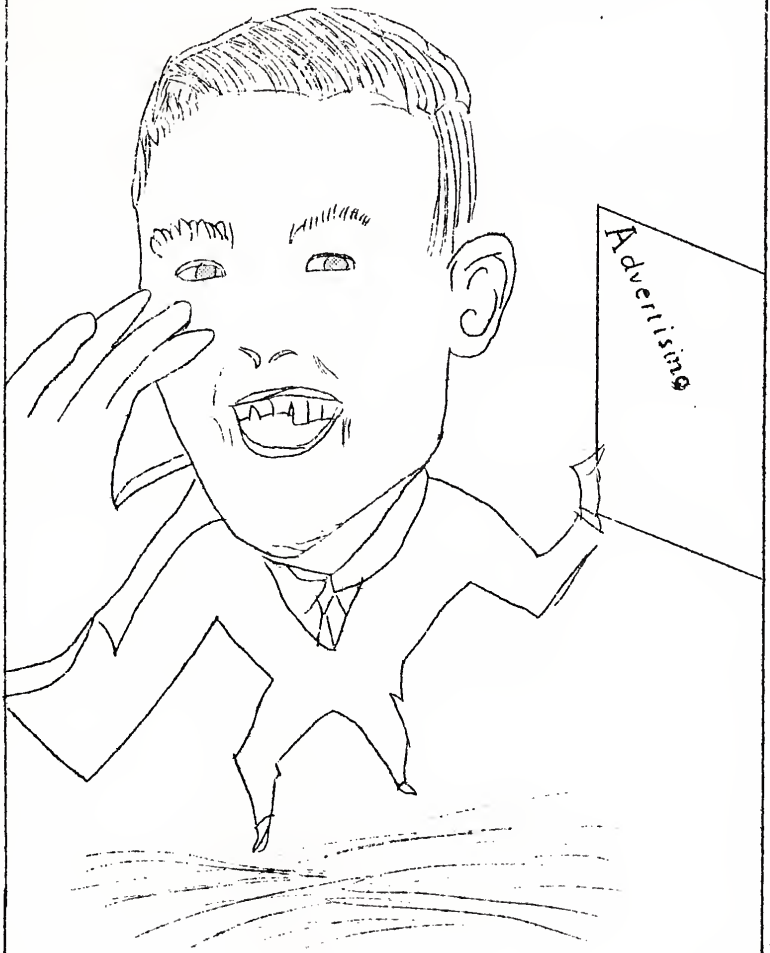
Wasson, Ner William	Farming	Craigville, Indiana
Zirkle, Martha	Clerk at Morris 5&10	Bluffton, Indiana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Native: "Must be; everybody uses it."

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John S: "She's so kind-hearted she hates to see people suffer."

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Ned H. "Because they never wash."

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John S: "April 2, 1921, Mr. Prible."
Mr. Prible: "Well, being late is a habit with you."

Mr. Durr: "Bob, what did you learn at school today?"
Bob D: "Grammar."
Mr. Durr: "What sort of Grammar?"
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Mr. Decker: "We are going to study today on the psychology of lying. How many of you have read Chapter 25 of the Text?"
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Mr. Decker: "Good, you need to study, there is no chapter 25."

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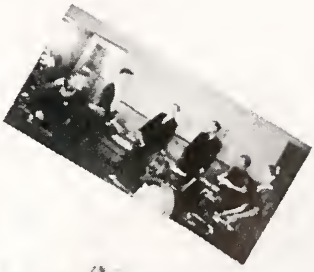

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